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10 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
11 **FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

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13 HDI-GERLING AMERICA INSURANCE
COMPANY, a New York Corporation,

14 Plaintiff,

15 v.

16 HOMESTEAD INSURANCE COMPANY, an
17 Pennsylvania Corporation; GREAT AMERICAN
E&S INSURANCE COMPANY, an Ohio
18 Corproation, formerly known as AGRICULTURAL
EXCESS AND SURPLUS INSURANCE
19 COMPANY, and DOES 1-10,

20 Defendants.
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Case No.: CV-08-1716

**GREAT AMERICAN E&S
INSURANCE COMPANY'S ADR
CERTIFICATION BY PARTIES AND
COUNSEL**

Complaint Filed: March 31, 2008

22 Pursuant to Civil L.R. 16-8(b) and ADR L.R. 3-5(b), each of the undersigned certifies that he
23 or she has:

24 1. Read the handbook entitled "*Dispute Resolution Procedures in the Northern District*
25 *of California*" on the Court's ADR internet site www.adr.cand.uscourts.gov;

26 2. Discussed the available dispute resolution options provided by the Court and private
27 entities; and

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1 3. Considered whether this case might benefit from any of the available dispute
2 resolution options.

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4 Dated: July 17, 2008

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